

## FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

October 10, 2006

Joe Droogsma, Treasurer Bachmann for Congress Post Office Box 49756 Blaine, MN 55449

Response Due Date: November 9, 2006

Identification Number: C00410118

Reference:

12 Day Pre-Primary Report (7/1/06 – 8/23/06)

Dear Mr. Droogsma:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. An adequate response must be received at the Commission by the response date noted above. An itemization of the information needed follows:

-On Schedule A of this report, you have not itemized all of the necessary contributor information. You must provide the date, aggregate election cycle-to-date totals, amount of contribution, and partnership attribution (if necessary) for each itemized receipt. (11 CFR § 104.3(a)(4)(i)) Please amend your report to include the aggregate election cycle-to-date totals for all entries, including redesignation entries.

-Commission Regulations require that a committee disclose the identification of all individuals who contribute in excess of \$200 in an election cycle. (11 CFR § 104.3(a)(4)(i)) Identification for an individual is defined as the full name (initials are not acceptable), complete mailing address, occupation and name of employer. (11 CFR § 100.12) Your report discloses contributions from individuals for which the identification is not complete.

You must provide the missing information, or if you are unable to do so, you must demonstrate that "best efforts" have been used to obtain the information. To establish "best efforts," you must provide the Commission with a detailed description of your procedures for requesting the information. Establishing "best efforts" is a three-fold process.